MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK

ANIMAL HEALTH & FOOD SAFETY DIVISION OFFICIAL ORDER NO. 2022-01

DATE:

April 8, 2022

DATE EFFECTIVE:

April 8, 2022

SUBJECT:

Prohibition of Poultry Shows, Exhibitions, Swaps, and Public

Sales

STATUTORY AUTHORIZATION:

Administrative Code Annotated: 81-1-302, 81-2-102

Administrative Rules of Montana:

32.3.104, 32.3.105, 32.3.116

ORDERED BY:

Martin Zaluski, D.V.M., State Veterinarian

REVIEWED BY:

Mike Honeycutt, Executive Officer, Board of Livestock

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT FROM THE EFFECTIVE DATE SET FORTH ABOVE, UNTIL JUNE 7, 2022 OR AMENDED BY STATUTE, RULE, OR OFFICIAL ORDER, ALL SHOWS, EXHIBTIONS, SWAPS, AND PUBLIC SALES OF POULTRY AND OTHER BIRDS ARE SUSPENDED DUE TO THE RISK OF SPREAD OF HIGHLY PATHOGENIC AVIAN INFLUENZA.

THIS ORDER DOES NOT APPLY TO PRIVATE SALES, CATALOG SALES, AND RETAIL SALE OF POULTRY.